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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) 10/031883
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TITLE OF INVENTION METHOD OF IDENTIFYING AND REGISTERING ENTITIES AND AN ASSEMBLY OF HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE FOR APPLYING SUCH A METHOD		
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Sir:

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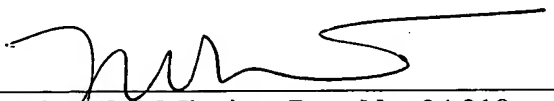
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